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## Gloves For Easter.

Ask in the "Bon Marche," Paris, for the "best" Gloveand you're given a "Reynier"-ask the same question in New York or Richmond and the answer is the same.

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Long evening Gloves in Black and White-Sueds and Glace-16 and 20 button lengths

## NEW SILKS: 20 to 35 Per Cent Under Price.

We are offering this week new Silks at 20 to 35 per cen less than their values.

If these Silks were last season's atyles and patterns they would be well worth coming for—but as the fabrics are all new—bought for this year's trade, and the colors and styles all desirable ones—the |values we now offer you are extraordinarily good ones. Such as: 890 and 50c Corded Wash Silks

59c Novelty Colored Taffetas. 65e Black Peau de Sole, 490

59c Black Taffeta, 49c yard.

290 yard.

\$1.00 Satin Foulards, 75c yard. 490 Printed Pongees, 39c. .

closing its first year's work fittingly by a series of receival meetings in its builting at the Reservoir, beginning to-night at \$130 o'clock. The speaker for this meeting is Mr. B. F. Black, of Newport News.

Mr. Black has had some years' experience in evangetic work and has no difficulty in holding his audience in the difficulty in holding his audience in the second musical from the se

MARTIN SPEAKS HERE.

President of Chamber of Com-

merce to Preside Saturday Night

forward to with interest by both advo-

cates and opponents of the senator's re-

election, this being his first public speech

Mr. Egbert G. Leigh, Jr., will preside

and will introduce the speaker of the

only speaker. About one hundred well

known citizens, representing almost

seats on the stage. This list will em-

conferences of the juntor senator's friends recently, and in addition thereto about thirty or forty more. Music will be pro-vided by a band.

It is regarded as certain that Senator

Martin will in the course of his speech

answer the criticisms of him by the Governor in his Spotsylvania and Meckienburg speeches, and some predict that he will strike back vigorously. The senator's closest friends do not anticipate that he will descend to personal-

ties, but expect that he will inject vigor

Swanson Has Replied.

SWAINSON TAS Repried.

Hen. Claude A. Swanson, one of the three gubernatorial candidates, was asked last night whether or not he had prepared his reply to the open letter of Rev. James Cannon, Jr., asking whether or not, if olected, he would favor the maintenance of the "Mann law" by the replied that he had mailed his answer to Mr. Cannon, and that he presumed that gentleman would give it to the public. He preferred not to give it out in advance of action by Mr. Cannon.

Button May or May Not Reply

Colonel Joseph Buiton, one of the cierical force employed at the headquarters of Senator Martin, was asked last night if he design the colonial of the colonia

New Camp of Sons.

Washington Camp, Patriotic Sons of America, will be instituted at Howard's Grove to-night. The charter list embraces the names of a number of the best known citizens. The camp was organized by Messrs, J. C. Williams and F. F. Stevens, and the installation will be conducted by District President G. II, Duke, of Fuiton.

The season of flowers, MUSIC and gifts will soon be here, and happy will be the home with the glorious Easter Music, but far happier will it be on that day of joy if the music is produced with

STIEFF."

...LIBERAL TERMS...

STIEFF'S

"SWEET TONE

to the speech. Mr. Martin is still out of the city

Senator Martin will be the

The address of Senator Thomas S. Martin, announced for the Academy of

May Manton Patterns 10c. each, on sale in Trimming Department

## GRAND COUNCIL ENDS ITS WORK

Body Held Two Busy Sessions Yesterday, Adjourning Late.

ELECTED OFFICERS

Dr. Ewald, of Portsmouth, Chosen Grand Regent. Others Moved Up.

The Grand Council Royal Arcanum of Virginia concluded its two-days' session here yesterday evening at 6 o'clock, at Murphy's Hotel. The session was well attended, many representative citizens of the State and men prominent in the Order being present.

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Two sossions were held yesterday at which officers were elected for the ensuing year, the old officers generally being promoted a step in the graduation leading to grand regent. The business of the Order at the annual council was disposed of and completed in the evening or late afternoon. The members generally expressed themselves as well pleased with their stay in the city, and the Grand Council gave evidence of this by its determination to meet in this city next April.

A shadow was cast over the session by A shadow was east over the session by the announcement yesterday of the death of the father of Mr. W. T. Dabney, a prominent members of the Order and one of the grand officers,

The members in most cases left the city last night for their homes or will leave this morning.

Officers Chosen.

The second days' proceedings of the Grand Council, Royal Arcanum, required two lengthy sessions. The council met at 9:30 and went at once into the dispatch of business. The election of officers resulted as follows:

Dr. E. W. Ewald, of Portsmouth, grand recent.

w. M. Bickers, of Richmond, grand A. T. Lincoln, of Marion, past grand

Howard G. Avery, of Norfolk, grand J. E. McCreedy, of Roanoke, grand chaplain. T. Dabney, of Richmond, grand

K. Fields, of Alexandria, grand J. B. Blanks, of Petersburg, grand sec-

B. Botts, of Fredericksburg, grand A. B. Botts, of Fredericksburg, grand treasurer. Minetree Folkes, of Richmond, grand

sentry.
Elective Member of Executive Committee—J. W. O'Connor, of Portsmouth,
Standing Committees: On Finance—J.
Taylor Ellyson, 3 years; E. L. C. Scott,
2 years; H. A. Allen, 1 year.
On Laws—W. H. Hurkamp, 3 years; W.
B. Garlick, 2 years; A. W. Garber, 1
year.

F. N. Bilisoly, of Portsmouth, grand trustee, for 3 years.

These officers were duly installed in

an impressive manner by Past Supreme Regent J. A. Langfitt, of Pennsylvania, who made an eloquent speech that was loudly applauded.

The newly-installed regent made a fine address as also did the retiring regent.

Publish a Paper. It was decided to empower the Execu-ve Committee to publish a monthly aper under the auspices of the Grand

Council.

The next place of meeting will be Richmond, April, 1966. Reports from all councils were encouraging.

Mr. Harry Kemp was re-elected for the seventh time special deputy grand regent by the Executive Committee.

It was unanimously resolved to purchase a past grand regent's jewel for retiring regent A. T. Lincoln, whose administration has been a great success.

Union Council, No. 51, of Richmond, had the distinction of being the banner council in point of numerical gain.

Mr. Minetree Polkes, the new line officer, is from McCarthy Council, this city.

The Council adopted resolutions of sympathy with Grand Guide W. T. Dabney, of Richmond, on the death of his father. Council adjourned sine die at 6

Holding Revival Meetings.

The Young Mee's Christian Association among the employee of the Virginia Fasson, see and Fosser Company, of Relimond, is just



Young Couple Alleged to Have Made Way With Infant.

### MOTHER FROM MANCHESTER

Colored School Principal Under Arrest-News From Southside.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 1102 Hull Street. The police of this city and those of PAY FOR JEFFERSON young man named Bugene S. Burnet his young wife, on the charge that they have made away with their infant Newport News, where the alleged crims said to have taken place.

Burnett is a former employe of the shipbuilding company at Newport News His wife is the pretty daughter of a citi zen of Manchester. She ran away from nome last August and went to North Carolina, where they were married. They have lived ever since. They lived with Mrs. Carrie Linthicum, who reported to the Newport News police that for some days their infant of several months has days their infant of several months and been missing. The couple are said to lave evaded the question of the where abouts of the infant, and when they left that place yesterday morning for Richmond, a warrant was issued for their arrest. The wires were used and Chief Lipscomb located the two young people at the home of the woman's parents. He so informed the police in Newport News, and Sergeant O'Hara, of that city, came to this city yesterday afterment to lake and Sergeant O'Hara, of that city, came to this city yesterday afternuon to lake the two back. When the officers went to the house for them they could not be found, and Sergeant O'Hara will remainere for a day or two, or until he finds out something definite as to the location of the two young people under sustained.

### Is Well Known Here.

to board with Mrs. Inthicum, and it is said the child has not been seen since that time. When asked about it by the new landlady, the reply was that the child had been loft with Mrs. Toler for feer its removal would cause illness. This reply was not satisfactory, and upon the suspicion of foul play the complete was made to the police.

Mrs. Carey Jenks, of Manchester was considered one of the most at

tractive girls in the city.

Chief Lipscomb said last night he was confident the couple was still in the city, and he would not rest until he had fully satisfied himself on that score. The peloce of various cities and towns in the State and elsewhere have been notified is look out for the couple.

### Colored Men Arrested.

J. H. Blackwell, principal of the colored High School, and W. H. Hatcher, a well known colored insurance man, were ar-rested last night, at their homes by Cap-tain Tomlinson, Sergeant Wiltshire and Sergeant Wright, on the complaint of Frank Quinn, that they had secured from him under false pretences the sum of

Blackwell and Hatcher were the president and secretary, respectively, of the Benevolent Relief Association, an insurance organization of \$5,000 capital, which went out of business on January 1st. In going out of business the concern went to the wall, and there was little left in

going out of business the concern went to the wall, and there was little left in the treasury. Quinn therefore brought the charge.

Blackwell is well thought of in Manchester. He said last night that there could be nothing of a criminal character in the charge. "We were forced out of business by the new insurance laws," he said, "and have been trying to settle up the affairs of the concern in the most coultable way. We cannot see how anything more than a civil case can be made of it. We have engaged Mr. Smith as counsel, and feel that the case will be dismissed."

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The two men were taken to the Second Station, where they were detained. The case will be called in the Police Court this morning.

Approaching Marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Clayfor have an nounced the approaching marriags of their daughter. Miss Louise Elizabeth, to Mr. John H. Saunders, of Swansboro The marriage is to take place at the home of the bride's parents. No., 151 Perry Street, on Thursday night, the 27th instant.

Personals and Briefs.

The Council has been called to meet to-night to act upon the \$05,000 bond issue. issue. Mrs. Viola Waymack is ill at her home. An all-day rally will be neld at Chesterfield Courthouse by the Education Commission on May 23d. (Drs. Winston

and Evans will speak.

Mr. William Mutter, of Portsmouth,
was in the city yesterday calling on

friends.

The jury failed to agree in the case of Ernest Farmer, charged with third conviction, and the case will come up again at the next term.

### GOVERNOR RETURNS.

Will Speak in His Home City of Danville To-morrow Night.

Governor Montague returned yesterday morning from Norfolk, where he spoke Tuesday night for the "Straightout" Dem-ocrats of Norfolk county. He spent the day in his office disposing of official busi-

ness.

The Governor will make a speech for the Odd Fellows in Danville to-night, and will make an address in the interest of his Senatorial candidacy in the same city to-morrow night.

It is expected that he will speak at Augusta Court in Staunton on Monday, though this has not been definitely determined.

mined.
The speech of the Governor in Danville to-morrow night will be his first during his Senatorial campaign in his home

own. He will return here Saturday morning.

Meeting for Divine Healing. Meeting for Divine Healing.

The revival meetings at the West End Mission, 727 West Cary Street, which have been going on for several weeks, are still in progress, and are attended by those of almost all denominations.

(H. Gootee spoke in the Mission last night from the text in Luke xxiv:49: "But tarry ye in the city of Jerusalem Mislive be endued with power from on high." The revival will go on to-night, as usual, at 8 ociock, and each night this week. There will be three meetings in the Mission Eandry, 11 A. M., 3:30 and 8 P. M.

## RICHMOND MAY Wedding Gifts ARTICLES bearing the name of Galt & Bro. are known to possess merit and to be of fine

Move Talked of to Bring Hampden-Sidney College Here.

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# BY TO-MORROW NOON

At Least Corporation Will Have Money in Bank to Do.

Mr. Joseph Bryan, president of the the following notice to the stockholders of the corporation, in accordance with the instruction of the board of directors:

"Mr. Jospeh Bryan, president, was requested to notify the subscribers to the purchase fund of the Jefferson Hotel to purchase fund of the Jefferson Hotel to deposit the amount of their respective subscriptions to the credit of O. J. Sands, treasurer, in the American National Bank, on or before April 21, 1905. The president was also requested at the same time to notify the subscribers that a change has been made in the prospectus as to the amounts and classes of stock of said company, to wit: That instead of \$500,000 of five per cent mortgage bonds there may be issued \$500,000 of first preferred stock and that instead of \$350,000 of six per cent, of preferred, stock and of six per cent, of prefergd, stock and \$350,000 of common stock, there may be \$450,000 of each class of said stocks.

"In accordance with the above resolution, you are hereby notified of said

changes in said prospectus, and also requested to pay the amount of your subscription to O. J. Sands, treasurer, at the American National Bank, on or before April 21, 1905."

The corporation was granted a charter yesterday.

### JEFFERSON CORPORATION Commission Charters Concern

to Rebuild the Jefferson.

The State Corporation Commission yesterday granted the following charters: Jefferson Realty Corporation, Richmond: Joseph Bryan, president, Rohmond: Joseph Bryan, president and general manager: Norfolk Co. J. Sands, repayer? Richmond: E. G. Leigh, Jr., secretary, Richmond: E. G. Leigh, Jr., secretary, Richmond. Chillisi stock, maximum, if 400,000. Oujects: To yown and conduct noteis and places of public entertainment.

Virginia, Bantorium for Consumptives, rowling Dr. Goberts: The care of the Commission of Consumptives, or Consumptives, Consumptives, Dr. Goberts: The care and "treatment of consumptives and the protection of the consumptives and the spread of the commission of Norfolk, The Building Commission of Norfolk, The Building Commission of Norfolk, president. to Rebuild the Jefferson.

and treatment of consumptives and the spread of tuberculosis.

The Building "Gorporation of Norfolk, Norfolk. C. Moli-Tunstall, president; T. S. "Purdle, vice president and general counsel; E. W. "Curdts, secretary and treasurer; all of; Norfolk. Capital stock, \$50,000. Objects: To buy, sell, rent or exchange real astate.

Duckhardt Brothers (Incorporated), Richmond. A. W. Duckhardt, president; R. Duckhardt, treasurer; Wolfang Duckhardt, treasurer; Wolfang Duckhardt, treasurer; Wolfang Duckhardt, secretary; all of Richmond. Capital, stock, \$15,000. Objects: To conduct a wholesale stationery business.

S. A. Billings Company (Incorporated), Norfolk. L. B. Whatley, president; W. H. Bargeant, Jra vice-president; S. A. Billings, secretary; and treasurer; all of Norfolk. Capital, stock, \$25,000. Objects: Buying, selling and improving real estate.

Improve Barton Heights.

## HEALTH BOARD AIMS AT HOSPITAL

Pass Resolution Evidently Designed to Stay Mr. Kellam's Plans.

The Board of Health of Henrico yester day passed the following resolution, evi

day passed the following resolution, evidently aimed at the proposed new Kellam Cancer Hospital, in the West End;
"Be it resolved by the Board of Health of the county of Henrico.
(i.) "That no cancer or other hospital for the treatment or cure of dangerous, contagious or infectious diseases, shall hereafter be built, established or operated within three hundred feet of any dwelling, wheel house church factory or work shop

within three hundred feet of any dwelling, school house, church, factory or work shop in the county of Henrico.

(2.) "That no pancer or other hospital for the cure or treatment of dangerous, contagious or infectious disenses shall hereafter be established or operated within one mile of the limits of the city of Richmond, unless the sanitary arrangoments are directly connected with the city sewer, or unless it has a separate sewer system of its own. And the sanitary arrangements of said institutions shall at all times be open to inspection by the Board of Health.

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"Secretary of Board of Health. (Signed.)

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"April 19, 1905."

Citizens of Henrico and the extreme west end of Richmond are also opposing the erection of the cancer hospital in the West End. A meeting was held at Liesfield's Hall on Tuesday night and a committee was appointed to confer with the projectors of the hospital, with the end in view of persuading them to change their plans. A subscription was started and quite a sum was placed to the credit of the committee for the purpose of pushing the matter to the end. Counsel was secured, and, if necessary, an injunction will be asked for restraining the owners from erecting a building.

The Steering and Working Committee as appointed at the meeting, embraces the following gentlement Messrs. W. F. Tompkins, L. D. Grant, H. K. Franklin, R. M. Smith and B. L. Ryan.

Careful Housewives always use Surnett's

Careful Housewives siways use Burnett's Vanilla because no Btate pure food com-mission has ever questioned its abso-aute purity.—Adv.

Attendance Falls Off Because

There is evidently a disposition on the part of those in charge of Hampden-Sidney College to change its location and to bring it into some Virginia city, where accommodations, central locations and ther advantages offered by a large city The college is the leading Presbyterian academic institution in the State, and yet it is far removed from railroads and other facilities almost necessary, to its successful operation.

The idea which has been in the mind of the members of the board for some time, to take the institution to some liv-city, seems now to have been revived and while a member of the board said last night there had been no action on

last night there had been no action on the subject, he admitted that the mutter had been discussed.

Indeed, it is known that both Norfolk and Nowport Nows have offered some inducements to the board to bring the institution into their midst, yet the members have declined to commit themselves, further than to say they will give proper consideration to the subject at the proper time.

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There is no doubt that the college has fallen back, both in attendance and in interest, in recent years, and it is believed that its location has much to do with these conditions.

There are now only seventy-two students on the rolls, including all classes, and it is fully realized that something must be done to revive interest in the institution.

There is some talk that Richmond may ask for the institution and offer the board inducements to bring it here, but no steps have been taken.

A Fitting Place.

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Richmond is already the home of many prominent educational institutions, and a large number of people would naturally like to see this leading Presbyterian school here. While as yet nothing has been done looking to getting the school here, it would cause no surprise should Richmond later on enter the field and compete with Norfolk and Newport News for the location of the institution.

The Richmond members of the board of visitors are Rev. Dr. F. T. McFaden, secretary; Dr. Paulus A. Irving and Mr. S. H. Hawes. Neither of them cared to discuss the matter for publication last night.

# **NEILSON ENGAMPMENT**

A large representation of the Odd Fellow Order, of this city, attended the reception last night of Neilson Encampment, No. 2, I. O. O. F., at Smithdeal Hall, and thoroughly enjoyed the entertainment programme provided for the occasion. This is the next oldest, encampment in the country, as the number in dicates, and embraces many of the best known wearers of three links in this city or State.

The celebration was opened with music by the Y. M. C. A. Mandolin and Guitar Club, which was greatly enjoyed and warmly applauded.

Hon. J. Taylor Ellyson, a well known

Club, which was greatly enjoyed and warmly applauded.

Hon. J. Taylor Ellyson, a well known member of the Order, made a brief but fellcitious address, which was admirably received by the encampment.

Mr. Frank W. Cunningham, a member of the Order, whose voice has given pleasure to so many in this city, favored the gathering with a solo, which was warmly applauded.

Governor Montague was present and made a very happy address of about ten minutes duration.

The Messris. Evenson pleased the assemblage with a violin and plano duet, which was warmly applauded.

Other excellent addresses were made by Hon. David C. Richardson and Mr. G. B. Davis, both enthusiastic members of the Order.

Mr. G. B. Jones recited Ingersoll's Sollioquy at the grave of Napoleon, and did it well.

Another musical selection was given

did it well.

Another musical selection was given by the Mandolin and Guitar Club, and an address by Hon. B. O. James closed the evening's programme of entertainment. A smoker was indulged in after the regular programme.

Mr. George B. Jones, master of ceremonies, gracefully presented the speakers and presided during the evening.

## Property Transfers.

Richmont: Ellen T. and Ross A. Duffy and James E. Donahue to John T. Duffy, three-fourths interest in 8 feet neast side of Seventh Sireot, between Louisiana and Denny Streets, \$1,200 ame, three fourths interest in \$1.35 feet on south line of Louisiana Street, southeast corner of Fourth Street, \$375.

W. Loske Wingfield to Lucy O. Michaels, 20 feet on north line of Hanover Street, \$157.12 feet west of Meadow Street; \$1,050.

William Ellyson and wift to Wallace C.



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Saunders, 25 feet on north line of Williams Street, 100 feet east of Ollmer Street, \$275. Carrie L. and Evereti Waddy to Moses L. Hoffhelmer, 50 feet on south life of Park Avenue, 74 feet weat of Cedar Street, \$1,500. Soi. Cutchins, special commissioner, to Nes-toria Kieln, 43 21-212 feet on east line of Cary Street, 116 1-2 feet south of Cary Street,

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H. W. Davis to H. C. McGee. 221-2 feet on north line of Ivy Street, 1707-12 feet west on north line of Ivy Street, 1707-12 feet west on north line of Street Street, 1707-12 feet west of Rowing Street Street, 186-50.

F. M. Boxley to Robert L. Clay, 17 feet on north line of Calverine Street, 9 feet west of Henry Street, \$4,000.

F. M. Boxley to Robert L. Clay, 17 feet on north line of Calverine Street, 49 feet west of Henry Street, \$1,000.

Richard T. Burham and wife to John T. Winston, 23 feet on south line of West Avenue, southwest corner of Birch Street, \$1,800.

James Bahen and wife to F. H. Ford, 312-3 feet caust of Fourth Street, 1400.

Fight Street Street Street, 181,800.

James Bahen and wife to F. H. Ford, 312-3 feet caust of Fourth Street, 1400.

Goold, Hoyt, Winfiell S. Camilla S., and Virginia S. and Geradina S. Kane's executor, to R., F. and F. R. R. Company, three tracts containing in the aggregate 5.67 seres on the Persy S. James, River Branch R., F. and P. R. R., Somphany, three tracts containing in the aggregate 5.67 seres on the Persy S. James, River Branch R., F. and P. R. R., Company, 33,500.

Winfold Scott and wife to R., F. and P. R. R., Somphan of Flower Hill Avenue, containing 16 feet on Mt. Froepect Street, southeast corner of Flower Hill Avenue, containing 19 feet on Mt.

### MYSTIC CIRCLE. Meet Next in Alexandria-Officers Elected.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LYNCHBURG. VA., April 19.—Grand
Ruling, No. 8. Fraternal Mystic Circle,
which has jurisdiction in the two Virginias, adjourned to-night after being in
session here three days. The closing
session was an open meeting, at which
Supreme Mystic Ruler Duckwits, of Buffalo, N. Y., made an address. The next
meeting of the Ruling will be held at
Alexandria in 1907.

The following officers were elected today: C. C. Firesheets, South Boston, Va.,
Grand Ruler; Henry Schneider, Winchester, Va., Grand Vice-Ruler; R. Goo.
Shackell, Richmond, Va., Past Grand
Ruler; B. G. Garner, Richmond, Va.,
Grand Rocorder; T. E. Matthews, Martinsburg, W. Va., Grand Treasurer; T. J.
Powell, Martinsville, Va., Grand Chaplain; W. A. Grubb, Norfolk, Va., Grand
Marshal; A. N. Whisenant, Danville, Va.,
Grand Warden; T. A. Hedges, Charlestown, W. Va., Grand Guard; J. Burns
King, Chestor, W. Va., Grand Sentry;
R. George Shackell, Richmond, Va.,
Spreme Representative, and Henry
Schneider, Winchester, Va., alternate to
the Supreme Ruling, to be held at Atlantic City in July.

Death of A. C. Wood.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BUCKINGHIAM, VA.. April 18,—Mr.

Alexander Chambers Wood was burled at his residence yesterday. He was in his eighty-fifth year. Though old in years, he was active in mind and body; was taken ill last week and died Monday morning. He entered the Confederate service in Captain A. J. Bondurant's company, under eall for State troops, and served until discharged under the age limit. Mr. Wood was a useful citizen, honored and respected by his fellow-men for his candor and unrightness of character.

Mr. A. C. Wood, Mrs. James Beard, William, Ralf and Robert Wood, of this county, and Mrs. Eugene Davis, of Cumberland county, are his surviving children.

## SALVATION ARMY APPEALS FOR HELP

Captain and Mrs. Fleming Ask Richmond People to Make One Self-Denial.

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One Self-Denial.

The Salvation Army, whose local branch has headquarters at No. 627 East Broad Street, is holding a "Week of Self-Denial." Captain and Mrs. John Fleming have addressed the following letter: "To the People of Richmond:

"Dear Friends,—We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the kind people of Richmond for help rendered in establishing our work in your city. With your assistance we have succeeded in leasing a nice hall at No. 627 East Broad Street, where we conduct spiritual, soul-saving meetings every night, and though only having been the operation a short time, we are glad to report that a number of people have been converted and are becoming Salvationists or joining the church of their choice. The good work must continue. We are now on the eve of our Great Annual Self-Denial Effort in which Salvationists and friends, everywhere are invited to take part by denying themselves of something they can possibly do without, for at least one week, and to contribute the amount thus saved into the Self-Denial Fund. In this way we are enabled to raise each year a sum which we very much need for the support and extension of our work among the poorest and most deserving branches—such as our resue homes for fallen girls, slum work, homes for walfs and strays, children's nurseries, shelters for the homelass men and women, also our local work. We believe you will be glad to have a hand in this noble work. A Salvationist in uniform will call to-morrow morning and any cantribution you feel disposed to make will be gratefully received and used for the glory of God. Thanking you in advance, we are sincerley yours for the poor and unsaved, in speaking of the work of the Salvation Army, Captain Fleming said lastinght: We liave 729 corps and autposts, 21 homes for fallen women, 20 sium posts, 3 maternity homes, 1 women's industrial home, 7 women's hoarding houses, 1 social settlement, 6 shelters for children, 77 shelters for the destitute, 24 food deputs, 1 workmen's club, 40 cheap oul de

## **VIRGINIA** BRIEFS

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PREDERICKSBURG, VA., April 19.—The residence of Mr. A. R. Pembleton, in Spotsaylvania county, near this city, was destroyed by fire last night. It caught in the teiling; how, it is not known. A portion of the furniture was saved. There was no insurance and the least in court in 100.

the loss in over \$1,000. LYNCHBURG, VA.-E. E. Walker, a real

charged with hurning the parm of 8. Miscoarver, which was located near Rustburg.

Luray, VA.—George Menderson, a merchant of this county, who has been on trial in the Circuit Court of Page county, for several days, charged with betrayal, was given a serious period of the seventy of the serious serious serious period of the seventy late this eventing.

NORPOLIX, VA.—Norfolk will secure the annual meeting of the Southern Wholesale Orocers and June Sin, 8th and 7th, President J. A. Van Hose, of Bigningham, Alai, has Intimated to the Wholesale Orocers and Tobacconsists Association of Tidewater Virginia, that the soution body withich has been meeting hear to come the county of the serious serious serious periods of the serious serious serious and the serious Norfolk this year and the local organization will at once seek the co-operation of other business bodies with a view to securing the meeting.

WILMINGTON, VA.—The senatorial campaign is waxing warm here. From present indications, Martin will carry the county by a large majority, though Montague has some staunch supporters.

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